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PARALLEL PROCESSOR, PARALLEL PROCESSING METHOD AND STORAGE MEDIUM

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A parallel processor capable of establishing synchronization among programs executed in parallel, wherein a processor element suspends its processing and enters a waiting state when a wait instruction "sleep" is executed in a user program Prg_d and resumes the processing by releasing the above waiting state based on execution of a wait release instruction "cont(Prg_d)" by another processor element and wherein the latter processor element executes a next instruction without suspending its processing after executing the wait release instruction "cont(Prg_d)".